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Some excitement exists in Westchester County, N. Y., over the discoveries of gold quartz there.

Half an inch of snow fell at Brundwick, Me., on Sunday night.

General Burnside arrived at New York yesterday from Boston.

McGormick & Lingle's stables, Buffalo, has been burned. Fifty horses and mules perished. Loss \$20,000.

A fire lately occurred at the Maryland penitentiary, doing damage to the amount of \$20,000.

Mr. Marlow, of the New York World, has returned to his post as editor of that paper in restored health.

During the year, 1,012 desistitute seafarers were sent from foreign countries to the United States, involving a cost to the country of over \$42,000.

Some Washington contractors have put in operation, traction engines and steam rollers, for the purpose of hauling dirt, gravel, and stones to be used in grading. One of these hauled six large wagons loaded with gravel with much ease, without leaving an impression on the surface of the road, and without pavements.

Secretary Boutwell heard to-day a Committee of interested parties, hereafter referred to, in relation to the claims of the Government on the Richmond, Danville & Petersburg Railroad, as having been the property of the Confederate States. The Committee owned them over \$2,000,000.

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## BENEATH THE TREES.

Underneath the trees we sit;

And the breezes as they fit.

Softly by

Throw the shadow of the boughs

Over little Maude's brown

Prettily.

Watchful, wistful, wood-ring eyes,

Gazing on the land that lies

Over the lea.

Batting eastes to the west.

How I wonder, do you there?

Picture me?

Lying near my longings lips.

Are for duty ringing lips.

Match I'm tenued to the Kith:

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With stand?

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AN ENTHUSIASM OVER Greeley. Greeley is considered close, but it is thought that Greeley will carry the State by about 5,000.

LEW. G. Faxon, has become one of the editors and proprietors of the Paducah *Advertiser*. *Plant*. He is a ready and ready writer, and will add much to the columns of the *Plant*.

The Hickman Courier will be sent free for one year, to any person sending us the names of five subscribers, accompanied by the money. Send in your lists at once.

It has been impossible to get any definite returns from the different States. We know that nearly all the States, north and south, have cast their votes for Grant, but by what majorities is uncertain. By our next issue we imagine the matter will be definitely settled.

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ENTERTAINMENT Novelty. Come and see it. Just opened. Ready for inspection. 25 cent. Counter. 5 cent. audience. RICE & BRO.

Structure of our campaign subscribers as may desire to become permanent readers of the Courier, can secure the paper for the period of one year, by remitting \$2.00. We are not without hope that many of them will avail themselves of this offer, and promptly make the required payment.

THE Columbus *Advertiser* thinks Grants election the result of "money and prejudice." Well, that may be so, but what a deal of an amount he must have had of cash! I say the least he acted literally, to say a million or so more than he needed.

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BOSTON DON'T PUNISH HER! By the following dispatch to Jno. A. Wilson, agent of the Royal Fire Insurance Company, Liverpool, England, it will be seen that old and reliable Company will be able to pay up and have a surplus of twelve millions of dollars.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 11, 1872. Jno. A. Wilson, Agent. Royal losses twelve hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and has invested funds and surplus left over, twelve millions of dollars.

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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF WEST TENNESSEE.—The meeting of this Society will take place at Union City, on the first Tuesday in December next. We hope that all of the members of the Society will make it a point of being present on that day—ready for any business that may come before us.

W. BURKE, M. D. President West Tenn. Medical Society.

What do you think of Horace Greeley now? is a question that has been propounded to us since the election at least four hundred times, says the *Cairo Gazette*. To relieve our friends of the necessity of making further inquiry in that direction we will say here that we regard Horace Greeley as a "honest old Abolitionist, who don't run with a cent." He brought upon the Democracy a terrible drubbing, and now contemplating our isolated feelings, easily remarks that, "being in sympathy with neither of the great political parties that divided the country, he'll devote his attention to agriculture and science." The old ingrate

Proceedings of Fulton County Court—November Term—Jno. Wingate, Judge.

LICENSE TO SOLMENIZE MATRIMONY. License granted to Rev. J. J. Burton to solemnize the rites of marriage.

SETTLEMENTS CONFIRMED. The settlement of Jas. Asbell, administrator of Aaron Asbell, confirmed and ordered to record.

Report of Isaac Akers, guardian of W. F. Goh's heirs, ordered to record.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

The Chairman of the Street Committee reported the following accounts as correct and recommended their payment:

JACK TALLY, allowed \$100, for care of Nancy Sanders.

ADMINISTRATIONS.

Mary E. Oakley, appointed administrator of the estate of W. C. Oakley, dead; and Hugh Cooper, Chas. T. Nichols, and J. F. Bushart, appraisers of the estate and to set apart widow's dower.

SETTLEMENTS FILED.

The settlement of W. Miles, Executor of W. C. Carter, dead, filed for exceptions.

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Hardin Maddox, released from further liabilities on the bond of E. M. Bradley, as guardian of Robert Lee Bradley.

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Same against Jno. Alexander's heirs, continued with alias summons.

Ordered that the Sheriff summon jurors for the next term of this court.

LYNCH POLL BOOKS.

Certificates and poll books of the election held at City Hall in Hickman and Civil District, No. 6, on the 10th day of October, 1872, as to the acceptance of the provisions of an act of the Legislature, approved Jan. 1872, ordered to be filed and recorded.

To buy goods at low prices, Go without fail to RICE & BRO.

Homicide near Yorkville.

Two Negro men known as Lun Dazier cut the throat of Mr. W. A. Underwood, almost sever the head from the body, on last Tuesday. We understand the parties were all drunk, and that the negro was cursing white men, generally, when Mr. Underwood shot him in the arm. The negro, Lun Dazier, then drew his knife and cut his assailant, from the effects of which he died.

ATTENTION is directed to the advertisement of Judge Samuel Landrum, agent for E. and H. Smith, Home of New York, Hartford of Hartford, Phoenix of Hartford, Underwriters agency of New York, Insurance Co. of North America and Franklin of Philadelphia, Imperial of London, England, and North Missouri, of Macon, all No. 1 Companies, that can go through a dozen Boston fires and pay up every dime.

Facts and the Reverse.

The rates charged by the Southern Mutual are identical with those charged by all the leading Mutual Companies of this country, ergo, the assertion that any other good life company is "cheaper" than the Southern Mutual is *not true*.

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Twenty Life Companies have failed, or had to consolidate, in the Eastern States, where one has consolidated in Kentucky, ergo, the assertion that "all Kentucky Life Companies fail—it is only a question of time" is a *base slander* upon the business talents of the State, and without foundation in truth or fact.

One sided representations of General Smith's last report, without showing all his keys, is a proceeding devoid of honesty or fair-dealing.

He who speaks falsely, speaks not truly; he who speaks not truly, lies.

JNO. A. WILSON, Agent.

BOTTLES FULL of Beauty.—Ladies, who would be beauty, by the bottle, should have a bottle of the famous Magnolia Balsm. This perfume of the complexion not only heightens natural charms, but renders even the plainer, and less attractive, to attract. It appeals to the mind, the eye, the nose, the heart, and the body, and is a most natural means, *vix* by gently and naturally stimulating the circulation in the capillary blood vessels. Besides being the most effectual aid to beauty, it is a most delicious perfume, and softens the furrows caused by time or care, and gives face, neck and arms the plump and engaging appearance of youth.

And he went into the house, whistling as he went. Jno. A. WILSON.

LIME—150g. 200g. 250g.

WASH BOTTLES per dozen, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

PLOWS, Steel, \$1.00.

HUBS, 500g. 550g.

NAILS, 5kg. 10kg. 20kg.

COFFEE, 1lb. 2lb. 4lb.

COATING, 1lb. 2lb. 4lb.

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To the MEMBERS of the MEDICAL SOCIETY of WEST TENNESSEE.—

The meeting of this Society will take place at Union City, on the first Tuesday in December next. We hope that all the members of the Society will make it a point of visiting present on that day—ready for any business that may come before us.

W. BRICE, M. D.

President West Tenn. Medical Soc.

"What do you think of Horace Greeley now?" is a question that has been propounded to us since the election, at least four hundred times, says the *Cairo Gazette*. To decide our friend of the necessity of making further inquiry in that direction we will say here that we regard Horace Greeley as a "caused old Abolitionist" who does not worth a cent!" He brought upon the Democracy a terrible drubbing; and now, contemplating our lamented friend, calmly remarks that "being in political parties that divided the country," he diverts his attention to agriculture and cattle. The old ingrate!

**Proceedings of Fulton County Court—November Term—John Wingate, Judge.**

LICENSE to solemnize Matrimony.

License granted to Rev. L. J. Burton to solemnize the rites of marriage.

NOTES CONFIRMED.

The settlement of Jas. Asbell, administrator of Asbell Asbell, confirmed and ordered to record.

Report of Owen Aker, guardian of W. F. Goin's heirs, ordered to record.

ALLOWED.

Jack Tally sold \$15, for care of Nancy Sanders.

ADMINISTRATIONS.

Mary E. Oakley, appointed administrator of the estate of W. C. Oakley, died, and Hugh Cooper, Chas. T. Nichols, and J. F. Bushart, appraisers of the estate and to set apart widow's dower.

SETTLEMENTS FILED.

The settlement of Owen Aker, guardian of W. C. Carter, dec'd, filed for exceptions.

HOLDINGS RELEASED.

Hardin Maddox, released from further liabilities on the bond of E. M. Bradley, as guardian of Robert Lee Bradley.

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A. E. Brevard, resigned the office of Surveyor of Fulton county.

APPOINTMENT.

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